



1647

1/13

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jan Johansson
Serial No. : 09/988,842
Filed : November 19, 2001
Title : DISCORDANT HELIX STABILIZATION FOR PREVENTION OF AMYLOID
FORMATION

Art Unit : 1647
Examiner : Christopher J. Nichols

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED
MAR 07 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action dated January 30, 2003, applicant elects the invention of Group I, claims 1 and 2, drawn to a method of identifying a compound that stabilizes a α -helical conformation of a discordant helix in a polypeptide. The election is made without traverse.

Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket number 12125-002001.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

January 28, 2003

Lisa N. Geller, Ph.D., J.D.
Reg. No. 51,726

Fish & Richardson P.C.
225 Franklin Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02110-2804
Telephone: (617) 542-5070
Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20600599.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date of Deposit

Signature

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate

2/28/03
K. H. Geller
K. H. Geller